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27. The method of claim 25, wherein the step (c) includes a step of applying the recording layer on the reflection layer by spin coating.--

layer.  
the first base plate and the second base plate are bonded together via the adhesion an adhesion layer for bonding the second base plate to the first base plate, and

and  
a second base plate capable of transmitting the writing/reading radiation;  
--11. The optical disc of claim 1, wherein the transparent member includes:

amended claims is attached hereto, having the bracketed additions and stricken deletions.  
Please amend claims 11 and 27 to read as follows. A marked-up copy of the  
Please amend the claims as follows:

**In the Claims:**

hereby amends the application as follows, without prejudice:  
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